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PATENT  
Attorney Docket No: PD-980024A  
Customer No: 20991

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Mustafâ Eroz, et al.  
Application No: 10/038,003  
Filed: January 1, 2002  
For: Sets of Rate-Compatible Universal Turbo Codes  
Nearly Optimized Over Various Rages And  
Interleaver Sizes

Art Unit: 2133  
Examiner: S. Baker

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Petition for Extension of time is attached hereto. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.
- ☐ An extension for \_\_\_ months(s) has already been secured; the fee paid therefor of is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.
- ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.
- ☒ The fee for claims is calculated below.

	CLAIMS AS AMENDED						ADDITIONAL FEE
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE			
TOTAL CLAIMS	38 -	23 =	15 x	\$ 18.00 =		\$ 270.00	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6, -	5 =	1 x	\$ 84.00 =		\$ 84.00	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS			N (Y/N)	\$ 280.00 =		\$ 0.00	
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:</b>						<b>\$ 354.00</b>	

Please charge **\$354.00** to Deposit Account No. **50-0383** of Hughes Electronics Corporation, El Segundo, California. Please charge any additional fees for claims or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0383.

Respectfully submitted,

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